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## Programme of meetings and agenda

### Scheduled official meetings

**Thursday, 19 September 2002**

## Security Council

10.30 a.m. . . . . 4611th meeting . . . . . Security Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation in Afghanistan

Morning[1] . . . . . Consultations of the whole (closed) . . . . . Consultation Room

Afghanistan

Other matters

3.30 p.m. . . . . 4612th meeting (closed) . . . . . Economic and Social Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

4 p.m. . . . . Consultations of the whole (closed) . . . . . Consultation Room

Iraq (UNMOVIC)

Other matters

**Security Council Committee established pursuant resolution 1267 (1999)**

3 p.m. . . . . 16th meeting (closed)[2] . . . . . Conference Room 7

[1] To be held following the adjournment of the 4611th meeting.

[2] The Chairman of the Committee will give an oral briefing to interested Member States of the United Nations in Conference Room 7, immediately following the meeting.

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# General Assembly

Fifty-seventh session

10 a.m. . . . . 16th plenary meeting . . . . . General Assembly Hall

Continuation of the general debate:

Address by His Excellency The Honourable Laisenia Qarase, Prime Minister of the Republic of Fiji

Uganda

Sweden

Brunei Darussalam

Slovakia

Dominican Republic

Myanmar

Namibia

Tunisia

Iraq

Liechtenstein

Barbados

3 p.m. . . . . 17th plenary meeting . . . . . General Assembly Hall

Continuation of the general debate:

Mali

Maldives

Georgia

Nepal

Djibouti

Burkina Faso

Uzbekistan

Rwanda

Saudi Arabia

Central African Republic

El Salvador

## Committees

**Sixth Committee**
*Informal open-ended consultations*

11 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 6

Informal open-ended consultations on the organization of work of the Sixth Committee of the General Assembly at its fifty-seventh session [A copy of the tentative programme of work of the Sixth Committee will be available in the conference room for interested delegations.]

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**Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions**

10.30 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10

1. Joint Inspection Unit
2. Executive session: Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs

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# Economic and Social Council

## United Nations Children's Fund

**Executive Board**
Second regular session for 2002

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . 25th meeting . . . . . Conference Room 2

3–6 p.m. . . . . 26th meeting . . . . . Conference Room 2

1. Cash assistance to Government in the context of UNICEF programme cooperation modalities (E/ICEF/2002/AB/L.5) . . . . . [6]
2. Private Sector Division . . . . . [9]
   (a) Financial report and statements for the year ended 31 December 2001
   (b) Progress on the development of the comprehensive PSD business plan: oral report
3. Internal audit activities for 2001 . . . . . [12]
4. Programme of work for 2003 . . . . . [13]
5. Other matters . . . . . [14]
6. Closing of the session: remarks by the Executive Director and the President of the Executive Board . . . . . [15]

## Other meetings

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**Thursday, 19 September 2002**

**Group of 77**
*Fourteenth Annual Meeting of Senior Officials*

9–10 a.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Trusteeship Council Chamber

*Meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs*

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Trusteeship Council Chamber

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Trusteeship Council Chamber

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**Rio Group (with the Gulf Cooperation Council)**

10–11 a.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 8

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**Panel discussion on Global Food Security and Sustainable Development**

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Economic and Social Council Chamber

Panel discussion on "Global Food Security and Sustainable Development", co-sponsored by the United Nations Development Programme, the Permanent Mission of the United States and Partnership to Cut Hunger and Poverty in Africa [The meeting will be moderated by Mr. Peter McPherson, President, Michigan State University, and Co-Chair of Partnership to Cut Hunger and Poverty in Africa. Ms. Sakiko Fukuda-Parr, United Nations Development Programme; Professor Peter Gregory, Director of Biotechnology, Cornell University; Mr. Gregory Jaffe, Center for Science in the Public Interest; Dr. C.S. Prakash, Professor of Plant Molecular Genetics, Tuskegee University; Mr. Andrew Fish, former U.S. Assistant Secretary for Agriculture; and Mr. James Marianski, Biotechnology Coordinator, U.S. Food and Drug Administration, will be among the participants. Members of permanent missions, Secretariat staff and representatives of non-governmental organizations are invited to attend.]

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**Signing of a Memorandum of Understanding with the Foreign Minister of Pakistan (Permanent Mission of Lebanon)**

12 noon–12.30 p.m. . . . . Conference Room D

## Press conferences

*The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/News/ossg/conf.htm.*

**Thursday, 19 September 2002**

*Room S-226*

12 noon . . . . . Mr. Terje Roed-Larsen, United Nations Special Coordinator for the Middle East Peace Process (to discuss the latest United Nations report on the Palestinian economy)

## Forthcoming official meetings

**Friday, 20 September 2002**

# General Assembly

Fifty-seventh session

*10.30 a.m.* . . . . . 18th plenary meeting . . . . . General Assembly Hall

1. Address by His Excellency Mr. Gustavo Noboa Bejarano, President of the Republic of Ecuador
2. Address by His Excellency Mr. Alhaji Ahmad Tejan Kabbah, President of the Republic of Sierra Leone
3. Address by His Excellency Mr. Askar Akayev, President of the Kyrgyz Republic
4. Continuation of the general debate:

   Address by His Excellency The Right Honourable Barnabas Sibusiso Dlamini, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Swaziland

   Estonia

   United Arab Emirates

   Gambia

   Eritrea

   Republic of Moldova

   Antigua and Barbuda

3 p.m. . . . . 19th plenary meeting . . . . . General Assembly Hall

1. Conclusion of the general debate:

   Address by Her Excellency The Honourable Sandra Pierantozzi, Vice-President and Minister of Health of the Republic of Palau

   Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

   Albania

   Grenada

Cyprus

Guinea-Bissau

Liberia

Somalia

Czech Republic

Suriname

Marshall Islands

Cameroon

2. Adoption of the agenda, organization of work and allocation of items: first report of the General Committee (A/57/250)

**Fifty-seventh regular session of the General Assembly**
General debate
(12-15, 17–20 September 2002)

The provisional list of speakers (No. 4) for the general debate of the fifty-seventh regular session of the General Assembly is now available at the General Assembly Affairs Branch (rooms S-2925 and S-3001). The provisional list of speakers (No. 4) has also been sent by facsimile directly to the permanent missions (Office of the Permanent Representative).

Delegations are reminded that, in accordance with General Assembly decision 56/468 of 1 May 2002, a voluntary 15-minute time limit should be observed during the general debate. The list of speakers was prepared on the basis of this 15-minute time limit. To help speakers in the general debate respect the time limit, a mechanism was installed at the rostrum of the General Assembly Hall.

Live Webcast of the general debate of the fifty-seventh session of the General Assembly is available at www.un.org/webcast. Delegations are invited to send in advance by e-mail the electronic version of the text of their statements in the general debate, in one of the official languages of the United Nations, to webcast@un.org.

## Committees

### First Committee

The First Committee will begin its substantive work by holding a general debate on all disarmament and related inter-national security agenda items from Monday, 30 September, to Friday, 11 October 2002. The list of speakers for the general debate is open. Delegations wishing to be inscribed are requested to kindly contact the secretariat of the First Committee (Mr. Eduard Fesko (tel. 1 (212) 963-7169; fax 1 (212) 963-5305).

Delegations are reminded that names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be submitted to Mr. Mohammad K. Sattar, Secretary of the First Committee (room S-2977H; fax 1 (212) 963-5305).

**Second Committee**

The Second Committee will hold its 1st meeting on Tuesday, 24 September 2002, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 3, to elect its Vice-Chairmen and Rapporteur and to consider its proposed organization of work as contained in document A/C.2/57/L.1. The Committee will also begin its general debate on Monday, 30 September, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. The Under-Secretary-General, Mr. Nitin Desai, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, will make a statement. The list of speakers for the general debate, and all other items allocated to the Second committee, *will be open at 3 p.m. on Tuesday, 24 September*. Delegations wishing to be inscribed are requested to contact the secretariat of the Committee (Ms. Maria Thompson (tel. 1 (212) 963-2183; fax 1 (212) 963-5935).

**Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)**

The Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) will hold its 1st meeting on Thursday, 26 September 2002, 10 a.m. in Conference Room 4. The agenda will be: (a) Election of Vice-Chairmen and Rapporteur; and (b) Organization of work (A/C.4/57/1[1] and A/C.4/57/L.1[1]).

The Committee will begin its substantive work on Monday, 30 September, at 3 p.m. Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list of speakers for the general debate relating to decolonization items, which will begin on Monday, 30 September (see document A/C.4/57/L.1[1]), are kindly requested to notify Ms. Catherina Dakay (room S-2977; tel. 1 (212) 963-9223).

Delegations are also reminded that the names of their representatives, alternates and advisers are to be submitted to Ms. Lesley M. Wilkinson, Secretary of the Committee (room S-2977K; fax 1 (212) 963-5305).

**Fifth Committee**

The Fifth Committee will hold its 1st meeting on Wednesday, 25 September 2002, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 3, to consider the following issues: (a) Election of Vice-Chairmen and a Rapporteur; (b) Organization of work (A/C.5/57/1[1], A/C.5/57/L.1[1] and A/C.5/57/L.2[1]); and (c) Letter dated 27 June 2002 from the Acting President of the General Assembly addressed to the Chairman of the Fifth Committee (A/C.5/56/46).

[1] To be issued.

**Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People**

The Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People will hold the United Nations International Conference of Civil Society in Support of the Palestinian People on the theme "End the occupation" on Monday and Tuesday, 23 and 24 September 2002, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 4. All members of Governments, intergovernmental organizations and United Nations agencies are invited to attend the plenary meetings as observers.

# Security Council

**Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism**

The oral briefing by the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism to interested Member States of the United Nations, scheduled for Monday, 23 September 2002, has been postponed to Tuesday, 24 September, at 4 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

# Economic and Social Council

## Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme and of the United Nations Population Fund

Second regular session for 2002

The second regular session for 2002 of the Executive Board of UNDP and of UNFPA will be held from Monday, 23 September to Friday, 27 September 2002, in Conference Room 2. The provisional agenda, annotations, list of documents and work plan for the session are contained in document DP/2002/L.3. Interested delegations are invited to attend.

## Other forthcoming meetings

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**Ministerial Meeting of the Indian Ocean Rim Association for Regional Cooperation**

The Ministerial Meeting of the Indian Ocean Rim Association for Regional Cooperation will be held on Friday, 20 September 2002, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 5.

**UNCTAD Briefing on the World Investment Report 2002**

The United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD) will hold a briefing on the *World Investment Report 2002* on Monday, 23 September 2002, from 11.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room A. A presentation will be made by Mr. Karl Sauvant, Director, Division on Investment, Technology and Enterprise Development, UNCTAD. Members of permanent missions, Secretariat staff and representatives of non-governmental organizations are invited to attend. Copies of the report will be available at the meeting.

**International Labour Organization briefing on "Combating the Employment Crisis"**

There will be a briefing on the theme "Combating the Employment Crisis", organized by the International Labour Organization (ILO), on Tuesday, 24 September 2002, at 11 a.m. in *Conference Room A*. A presentation will be made by Mr. Eddy Lee, ILO Senior Economic Advisor. Members of permanent missions, Secretariat staff, representatives of non-governmental organizations and the media are invited to attend.

For further information, please contact Ms. Caroline Lewis, New York ILO Liaison Office (tel. 1 (212) 697-0150, ext. 102).

**UNITAR Briefing on Developments in Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea**

The United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) and the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea (DOALOS) of the Office of Legal Affairs are jointly organizing a briefing on developments in ocean affairs and the law of the sea 20 years after the conclusion of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea. This briefing, to be conducted in English, will be held at United Nations Headquarters in New York on Wednesday and Thursday, 25 and 26 September 2002, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. For further information, please contact Ms. Nicole Valenta at UNITAR (room DC1-603; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196 or 963-9684).

**UNITAR Workshop Series entitled "Policy Awareness and Training in Information Technology"**

The United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) has organized the new Series entitled "Policy Awareness and Training in Information Technology", under the auspices of the ICT Task Force and the Working Group on Informatics. This programme is being implemented with the active participation and sponsorship of Intel Corporation, Inc. The programme consists of a set of four progressive modules and one seminar presented as a cycle, which is currently being repeated four times a year. The first four modules of each cycle focus on (a) Introduction to Computers and Windows 2000; (b) E-mail and Internet Search Basics; (c) Introduction to Microsoft Word 2000; and (d) Web-page Design Basics and Usability Techniques; and is geared towards all diplomats. The fifth module, which is conducted as an interactive seminar, covers "Policy Awareness and Security Issues on Information Technology" and is aimed essentially at ambassadors and senior diplomats and open to members of the United Nations staff as well as non-governmental organizations.

The fourth and last cycle of the 2002 Series, to be conducted in English, will be held on every alternate Friday *from 4 October to 15 November 2002.* For further information, please contact Ms. Maud Graham (room DC1-603; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).

## Announcements

**Security Council**

**Daily informal briefings**

As from Tuesday, 3 September 2002, and for the rest of the month, the President of the Security Council will conduct informal briefings daily on the current work of the Council for Member States of the United Nations which are non-members of the Council, except on days on which no informal consultations are scheduled. The briefings will take place immediately following the adjournment of the informal consultations in the Press Briefing Room (S-226).

**Recorded information**

Recorded information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by calling 1 (212) 963-8530.

**Third Committee of the General Assembly**

Copies of the revised document containing the proposed organization of work of the Third Committee are available in room S-2950.

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**Deadline for the nomination of candidates for election as permanent judges of the International Tribunal for Rwanda**

Member States and non-Member States maintaining permanent observer missions at United Nations Headquarters are reminded that the deadline for the nomination of candidates for election as permanent judges of the International Tribunal for Rwanda will expire on Monday, 23 September 2002. Any nominations that they may wish to make should be communicated the Legal Counsel (room S-3427A) before the close of business of that day.

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**Credentials of representatives to the fifty-seventh session**

Delegations are reminded that credentials should be issued for all representatives to the fifty-seventh session of the General Assembly, in accordance with rule 27 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

Credentials should be sent to the secretariat of the Credentials Committee (tel. 1 (212) 963-5358; room S-3420A.)

## Summary of meetings

**Wednesday, 18 September 2002**

# Security Council

4610th meeting (closed) *Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone (UNAMSIL) pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B*

The Security Council met in private. At the close of the meeting, the following communiqué was issued by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Council:

"On 18 September 2002, the Security Council, pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B, held its 4610th meeting in private with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone (UNAMSIL).

"The Security Council and the troop-contributing countries heard a briefing under rule 39 of its provisional rules of procedure by Mr. Oluyemi Adeniji, Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Sierra Leone and Head of the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone.

"The members of the Council had a constructive exchange of views with representatives of participating troop-contributing countries."

# General Assembly

Fifty-seventh session

14th plenary meeting — *Continuation of the general debate*

The General Assembly heard statements by H.E. The Honourable Serge Vohor Rialuth, Deputy Prime Minister, Minister for Foreign Affairs and External Trade of Vanuatu; H.E. Mr. Mustafa Osman Ismail, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Sudan; H.E. Mr. Hassan Wirajuda, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Indonesia; H.E. Mr. Shimon Peres, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs of Israel; H.E. Mr. Hor Namhong, Senior Minister, Minister for Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation of Cambodia; H.E. Mr. Augusto Casali, Minister for Foreign and Political Affairs of San Marino; H.E. Mr. François Lonsény Fall, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Cooperation of Guinea; H.E. Mr. Nguyen Dy Nien, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Viet Nam; H.E. Dr. Leonardo Santos Simão, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Cooperation of Mozambique; H.E. Mr. Kolawole Idji, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Benin; H.E. Mr. Mahmoud Hammoud, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Emigrants of Lebanon, and H.E. Mr. Stafford Neil, Chairman of the Delegation of Jamaica.

15th plenary meeting — *Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations (Article 19 of the Charter)*

The General Assembly took note that Chad had made the necessary payment to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter. The Assembly was informed that the information would be reflected in document A/57/390/Add.2 to be issued.

*Continuation of the general debate*

H.E. The Honourable Ranil Wickremesinghe, Prime Minister of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, addressed the General Assembly.

The General Assembly heard statements by H.E. Mr. Morshed Khan, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Bangladesh; H.E. The Honourable Julian Robert Hunte, Minister for Foreign Affairs, International Trade and Civil Aviation of Saint Lucia; H.E. Mr. Talbak Nazarov, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Tajikistan; H.E. Mr. Mahamat Saleh Annadif, Minister for Foreign Affairs and African Integration of Chad; H.E. Mr. Abou Drahamane Sangare, Minister of State and Minister for External Relations and Ivorians Abroad of Côte d'Ivoire; H.E. Mr. Seyoum Mesfin, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Ethiopia; H.E. Mr. Roberto Tovar Faja, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Worship of Costa Rica; H.E. Mrs. Aïchatou Mindaoudou, Minister for Foreign Affairs, Cooperation and African Integration of the Niger; H.E. Mr. Joseph Philippe Antonio, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Haiti; H.E. Mr. Norman José Caldera Cardenal, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Nicaragua, and H.E. Mrs. Aksoltan Ataeva, Chairman of the Delegation of Turkmenistan.

Statements in the exercise of the right of reply were made by the representatives of Indonesia and Turkey.

# Economic and Social Council

## United Nations Children's Fund

**Executive Board**

Second regular session for 2002

23rd–24th meetings — *Innocenti Research Centre: progress report and proposed activities for 2003-2005*. [4]

The Director of the Innocenti Research Centre introduced the item.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Netherlands, Germany, Norway, Sweden, Switzerland, Italy, Jamaica, Gabon, France, Gambia, Slovenia, the United States, Morocco, India. The representative of the International Labour Organization also made a statement. The Director of the Innocenti Research Centre and the Executive Director responded to issues raised by the delegations.

The Board approved the report contained in document E/ICEF/2002/13.

The Board thus concluded consideration of agenda item 4.

*Medium-term strategic plan for the period 2002-2005: financial plan and related recommendation* . . . . . [8]

The Deputy Executive Director introduced the item.

Statements were made by the representatives of Japan, Gabon, China, Switzerland, Sweden, Norway, the United States, Luxembourg, Denmark and the Netherlands, to which the Deputy Executive Director responded.

The Board approved the report contained in document E/ICEF/2002/AB/L.9.

The Board thus concluded consideration of agenda item 8.

*Report to the United Nations Board of Auditors and the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions* . . . . . [11]

The Deputy Executive Director introduced the item.

The Board took note of the report contained in document E/ICEF/2002/AB/L.7.

The Board thus concluded its consideration of item 11.

## Convention on the Rights of the Child

**Committee on the Rights of the Child**
Thirty-first session
United Nations Office at Geneva

809th–810th meetings *Methods of work of the Committee* . . . . . [7]

*General comments* . . . . . [8]

The Committee considered these items in closed session.

## Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

**[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]**

*Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment. New York, 10 December 1984*

*Signature*: San Marino (18 September 2002)

*International Convention for the Suppression of Terrorist Bombings. New York, 15 December 1997*

*Accession*: Barbados (18 September 2002)[1]

*International Convention for the Suppression of the Financing of Terrorism. New York, 9 December 1999*

*Ratification*: Barbados (18 September 2002)[1]

*United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime. New York, 15 November 2000*

*Ratification*: Ecuador (17 September 2002)[1]

*Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children, supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime. New York, 15 November 2000*

*Ratification*: Ecuador (17 September 2002)[1]

*Protocol against the Smuggling of Migrants by Land, Sea and Air, supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime. New York, 15 November 2000*

*Ratification*: Ecuador (17 September 2002)[1]

*Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production, Stockpiling and Use of Chemical Weapons and on their Destruction. Geneva, 3 September 1992*

*Ratification*: Saint Vincent and the Grenadines (18 September 2002)[1]

*Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety to the Convention on Biological Diversity. Montreal, 29 January 2000*

*Ratification*: Cuba (17 September 2002)[1]

[1] Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

## Other announcements

### Franklin Delano Roosevelt International Disability Award

H.E. Mr. Gustavo Noboa Bejarano, President of the Republic of Ecuador, will accept the Franklin Delano Roosevelt International Disability Award, on behalf of his country, at a ceremony to be held *today*, 19 September 2002, at 11 a.m. in Conference Room 4. Speakers will include Ms. Louise Fréchette, Deputy Secretary General; Mr. Christopher Reeve, Vice Chairman of the National Organization on Disability; Ms. Anna Eleanor Roosevelt and Ambassador William vanden Heuvel, Co-Chairs of the Franklin and Eleanor Roosevelt Institute; Mr. Kenneth Behring, Founder, Wheelchair Foundation; and Mr. Alan A. Reich, Chairman, World Committee on Disability. Members of permanent missions, Secretariat staff, representatives of non-governmental organizations and the media are invited to attend.

**Security announcement**

Members of delegations with valid grounds passes may access the restricted area without secondary passes but they are still required to pass through magnetometers. First Avenue will remain closed between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. until further notice. Nightly, from 7 p.m. to 7 a.m., the next morning, First Avenue will reopen to vehicular traffic. Only escorted motorcades will be allowed access at the 43rd Street vehicular entrance.

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